

Note by
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FRANK TERPIL AND MAURICE BISHOP

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(phone call to Hougan on other
matter)

Jim Hougan has been in contact with T and has been on visits to see him in Middle East. In a hotel discussion, unrecorded, ~~Hougan~~ ~~xxxxxx~~ FT brought up the fact that Hougan had in the past mentioned an interest ~~ant~~ he had had in D Phillips and his AFIO. FT said words to the effect that Phillips was more important than anybody had understood, and that there was special interest in the way the agency has been using AFIO etc. Hougan said, effectively, "Yeah, do you know Phillips?" FT replied that he had met him years ago, but then that was under his then cover name. What was that, asked Hougan, then nearly fell off his chair when FT replied "Bishop". Hougan told FT this was really interesting, but it was apparent that FT knew nothing of the furore about Bishop/Phillips/JFK etc.. Pressed for detail FT said he had met "Bishop" (who he insists ^{was} ~~is~~ Phillips) in Miami in 1967 or 1968, while in the company of Hal Hendrix. FT was at that time living, he says, with Hendrix's daughter. Subsequent to the meeting, while at the CIA Office of Security at 125St, FT looked up Bishop in the file of cover names. He says he did this out of curiosity - while it may sound odd, thi -ac Hougan - is the sort of nosiness that in other areas caused FT to get into hot water with the agency. FT was at the time in the Bang and Boum Technical side of things, making sure machinery was servicable etc(??), but had some sort of access, he claims, to the Office of Security. Hougan does not find it improbable, and believes FT. The office on 125 Street had a commercial cover name, and hougan thinks that is on his tape(He later put the FT/Bishop assertions on tape...perhaps in two chunks...)Hougan talks of FT's legendary curiosity....always in trouble re "need to know".
called Fonzi, who will start checks in Miami...recalls that Resorts Int. has office or had at 125 St

FT ~~xxx~~ also told Hougan about Chichi Rodriguez, an assassin who works for the agency and also Gulf and Western(as an assassin)...FT tried at one point to hire him, at same time of effort to rub out the Iranian?....also the Zoeverdi(sp) brothers, other assassi.